

THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART

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MUSEUM AUDITORIUM EVENT
Friday, November 17 8:30 p.m.

The First Poetry Trio of Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio will give Chinese poetry readings in the original Chinese and in French and English translation on Friday evening, November 17 at 8:30 in the auditorium of The Cleveland Museum of Art. Slides of the type of Chinese painting, chiefly landscape, that served as inspiration for the poems will be shown simultaneously.

The poems read will span two thousand years from Confucian odes to twentieth-century works, including several compositions by three famous T'ang Dynasty poets --- Wang Wei, Li Po and Tu Fu.

William F. McNaughton, assistant professor of Chinese at Oberlin, will present the Chinese; Simon Barenbaum, associate professor of French, will deliver the French and Warren Taylor, professor of English, will give the English reading.

The First Poetry Trio was established in 1953. This is their second appearance at the Museum.